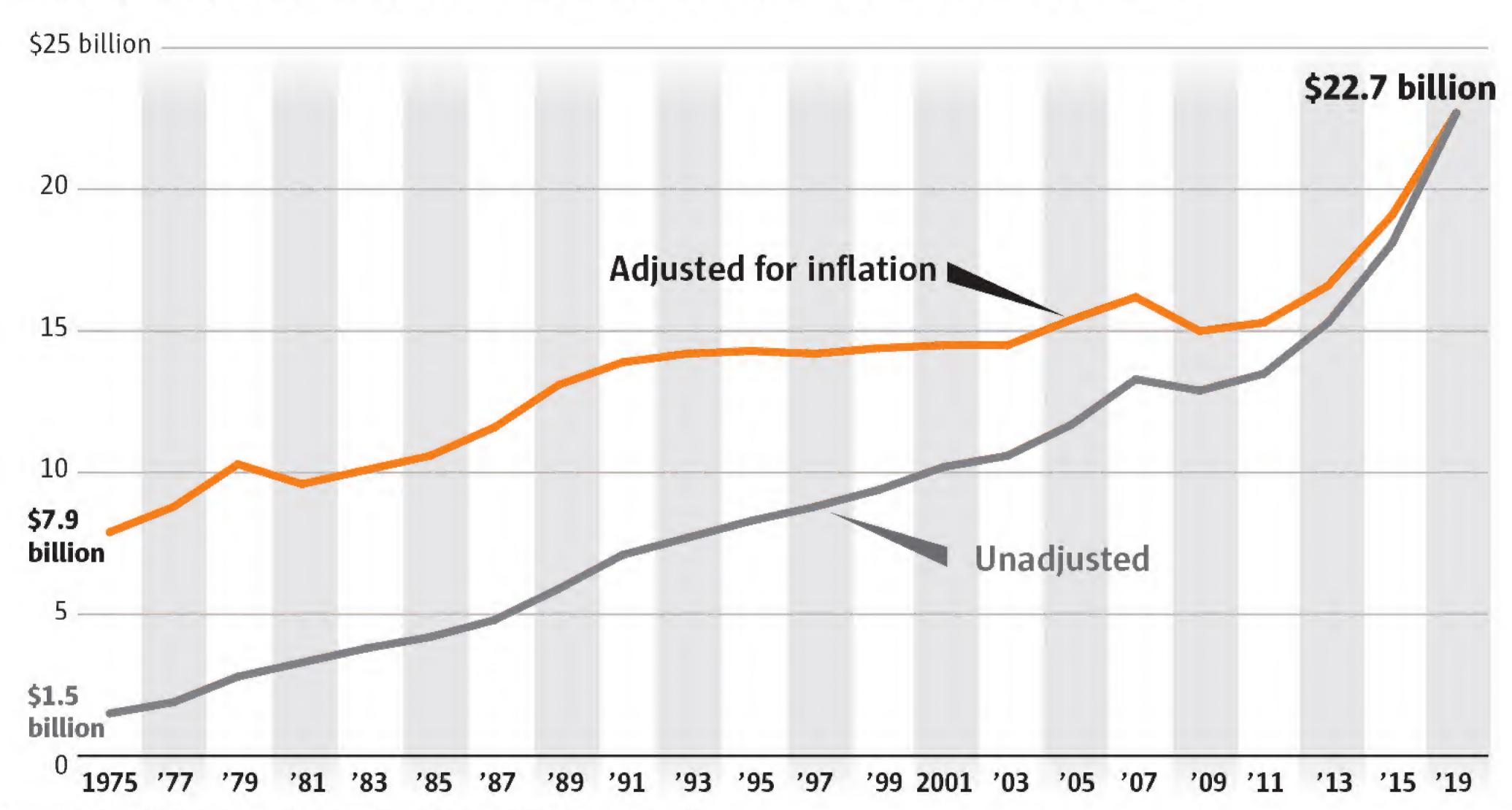
## State spending on K-12 schools

Over the past four decades, Washington has nearly tripled the amount it spends on public schools. In 2017, the state spent double the amount for each student than it did in 1975.



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